



KRISALINO D. SANCHEZ,

Opposer,

-versus-

LIFETIME PRODUCTS, INC.,

Respondent-Applicant.

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IPC NO. 14-2016-00603

Opposition to:

Appln. Ser. No. 4-2016-504384

Date Filed: 26 August 2016

Trademark: **LIFETIME**

Order No. 2016- 246 (D)

ORDER

KRISALINO D. SANCHEZ, ("Opposer") filed on 25 October 2016 a Motion for Extension of Time to File Verified Notice of Opposition to Trademark Application Serial No. 4-2016-504384.

Rule 7, Section 1 (a) of the Regulations on Inter Partes Proceedings, as amended provides:

Section 1. (a) Who may oppose.- Any person who believes that he would be damaged by the registration of a mark may, upon payment of the required fee and **within one (1) month after the publication of the application**, file with the Bureau a notice of opposition to the application. (Emphasis supplied)

In this regard, based on the records of the Intellectual Property Office of the Philippines, the subject trademark application has not yet been published for opposition purposes. The instant opposition therefore is premature, there being no factual or legal basis.

WHEREFORE, premises considered, this case is hereby **DISMISSED**.

SO ORDERED.

Taguig City, 28 OCT 2016

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